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**OFFICE OF PETITIONS
DECISION**

ON PETITION UNDER

37 CFR 1.137(b)

In re Application of :
TURNER *et al* :
Application No.: 09/921,192 :
Filing Date: August 2, 2001 :
Docket No.: VTN-548 :
For: METHOD FOR COATING :
ARTICLES BY MOLD TRANSFER :

This is a decision on applicants' "Petition for Revival of an Application for Patent Abandoned Unintentionally Under 37 CFR 1.137(b)" filed on March 17, 2006. The petition is **GRANTED**.

This application became abandoned for failure to timely file a proper reply to the final Office action mailed February 24, 2005, which set a shortened statutory period of reply of three (3) months.

The subject petition satisfies the conditions for revival pursuant to the provisions of 37 CFR 1.137(b) in that it includes: (1) the petition fee; (2) the required statement of unintentional delay; and (3) the required reply in the form of a Request For Continued Examination (RCE), with fee and submission.

Accordingly, the reply to the final Office action of March 17, 2006 (in the form of the RCE and submission) is accepted as having been unintentionally delayed.

The application file is being referred to Technology Center AU 1734.



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